IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

BEAUMONT DIVISION

JACKIE HAMBY §

VS. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:20-CV-185

MARK J. RICHARDS, ET AL. §

MEMORANDUM ORDER OVERRULING PLAINTIFF'S OBJECTIONS AND ADOPTING THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Plaintiff Jackie Hamby brings this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 against Mark J. Richards and Robert Behrns.

The court ordered that this matter be referred to the Honorable Zack Hawthorn, United States Magistrate Judge, at Beaumont, Texas, for consideration pursuant to applicable laws and orders of this court. The magistrate judge recommends granting Defendants' motion for summary judgment.

The court has received and considered the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge, along with the record and the pleadings. Plaintiff filed objections to the magistrate judge's Report and Recommendation.

The court has conducted a *de novo* review of the objections in relation to the pleadings and the applicable law. *See* FED. R. CIV. P. 72(b). After careful consideration, the court concludes the objections are without merit.

ORDER

Accordingly, Plaintiff's objections (document no. 69) are **OVERRULED**. The findings of fact and conclusions of law of the magistrate judge are correct, and the report of the magistrate judge (document no. 66) is **ADOPTED**. Defendants' motion for summary judgment (document no. 53)

is **GRANTED**. A final judgment will be entered in this case in accordance with the magistrate judge's recommendation.

SIGNED this the 16 day of September, 2022.

Thad Heartfield

United States District Judge